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#### Services News Briefs



#### Lightning Fit News

SMSgt Kenneth R. Ramey Fitness and Sports Center

"Lightning Fit" is not just a motto, it's a path to a healthier and happier lifestyle. The fitness staff is pushing forward

to provide the tools and facilities to help all Desert Lightning warriors experience unsurpassed levels of fitness and wellness. With the strong support of wing leadership, our staff has been able to purchase new cardio equipment and accessories, strength training equipment, and loads of upgrades for the Haeffner Fitness Center. There will be a noticeable change in the look and feel of the Haeffner Fitness Center, giving D-M two of the finest facilities in the Air Force. More incentive programs are on the horizon and we encourage everyone to utilize the tools and programs provided by the fitness center and Health & Wellness Center to help you pass the new AF fitness test.

The fitness center has put together fitness kits to help units conduct their programs. Each "PT" kit includes; 10 jump ropes, 10 resistance bands, 5 heart rate monitors, 2 stop watches, a stretching guide and 2 ice packs.

The kits are designed for units participating in circuit programs. Have your unit fitness reps or trainers stop by the fitness center to sign-out a kit (other accessories are also available). For more information call the Fitness and Sports center at 228-0022.

#### Services Thanksgiving Day Meals

The Mirage will host a delicious feast Thanksgiving Day, Nov 27th, from 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Their exclusive ala Mirage Buffet will entice your every sense! No reservations required, first come first serve. Cost is \$17.95 adults (members receive \$3 off), \$10.95 children 5-12, 4 and under are free. For more information call 228-3301.

The Desert Inn Dining Facility will offer a Thanksgiving Day meal for all meal card holders, active duty personnel, retirees, and their families. Thanksgiving Day hours: breakfast, 6 a.m. to 8 a.m., lunch, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., dinner, 3:30 to 5:30p.m. There will be no midnight meal and flight kitchen will be closed. For more information call 228-5501.

The Fall West Fest and ACC Annual Family and Teen Talent Show will be held tomorrow at the Youth Center. The fest starts at noon and the talent show will begin at approximately 1 p.m. Admission into the fest is free. There will be lots of fun carnival activities





including rides, jumping castles, cakewalk, and more. There will also be clowns, a DJ, and prizes. Carnival tickets will be available for twenty-five cents each or five for a dollar. Food and drinks will also be sold.

For more information call the Youth Center at 228-8844.

Three of last years ACC talent show contestants perform on stage. At left, Capt. Ken Knox and his daughter Heather sing Butterfly Kisses and at right, Nicole David performs a special Hawaiian dance.





#### Win Big at Football Frenzy!

Football Frenzy is still going strong at your D-M clubs. Come by and catch the excitement on Monday Nights at the Desert Oasis. Each week there's hundreds of dollars in prizes awarded. Doors open at 5 p.m.

On Sundays, catch multiple games at both The Mirage and Desert Oasis with NFL Sunday Ticket. Watch up to six different games every week. Doors open at 11a .m.

Club members will also be taking home awesome local prizes and giveaways including a brand new 2003 Kia Rio or a beautiful living room set. Look for more grand prizes to be announced every week!

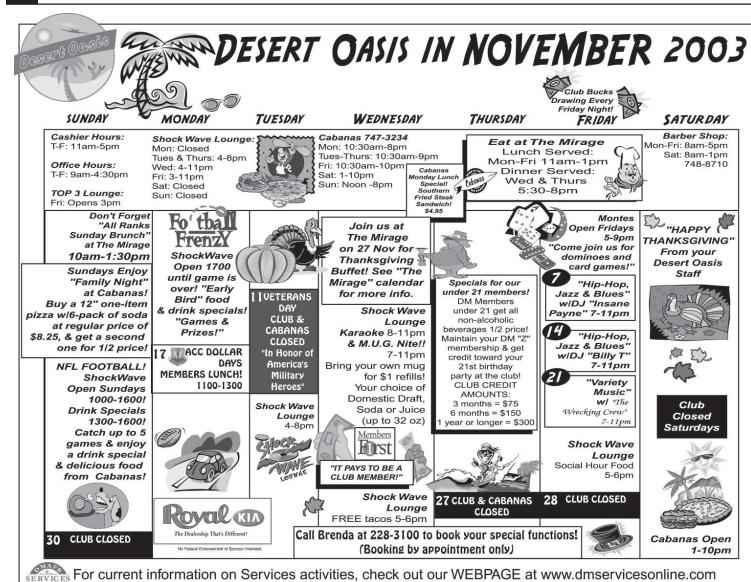
Don't forget to fill your official Frenzy entry form for a chance to win a VIP trip to the 2004 Super Bowl or the Pro Bowl! For more information call 228-3100 or 3300.

See you at the game!





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#### **Youth Center Teen Trips**

The Youth Center has two cool trips planned for teens, 13-18. On Fri, Dec. 5, teens will have

loads of fun at the Bed  $R \circ x x$ Family

Fun Center. The center features 30 modern bowling lanes with 15 big screen TVs and the Fun Factory video arcade with over 100 of the latest games. Cost of \$12 includes 1-hour bowling, shoes, \$3 of game play, 2 slices of pizza and a soft drink! Departs at 6pm and returns at 11pm.

On Sat, Dec. 6, teens can enjoy a Hot Air Balloon Trip over the beautiful Tucson

Mountains and Saguaro National Park. Cost is \$50 and includes continental breakfast. Departs at 6am and returns at approximately noon.

Transportation provided. Space is limited. Sign up by Dec. 3. For more information call 228-8844.

## **Technical Institute**

#### Now offering Scholarship Programs to Military Service Members & Veterans

ITT Technical Institute in Tucson will offer a 10% scholarship to members of the U.S. Military who enroll! These scholarships will be awarded to eligible students who begin their studies beginning with the winter quarter starting in December. Scholarships are available to incoming ITT Tech students who currently serve in the military, including the armed forces, national guard, coast guard or the reserves, and to veterans who have received an honorable, medical or general discharge. This does not apply to family members.

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#### Bachelor Degree Programs: Associate Degree Programs:

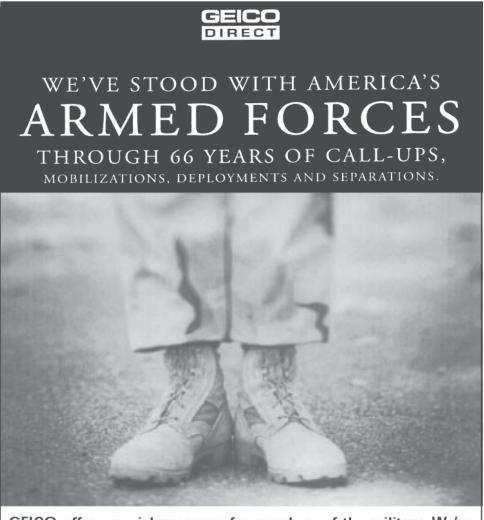
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# The Mirage in November 2003

Saturday

Sunday



with the entire (no bar, beer

Champagne Sunday Brunch! receive \$2 discount) 10am-1:30pm All of your favorite breakfast & lunch dishes! Kids 6-12, \$8.95 (mbrs \$1 discount, Mbrs eat FREE

#### HOURS OF OPERATION

Lunch: M-F 1100-1300 Dinner: Wed-Th 1730-2000 Sunday Brunch: 1000-1300 Caterer: Tu-F 0800-1700 Barber Shop: M-F 0800-1700 Bar: W-Th 1600-2000, F Admin Offices: M-F 0800-1600 Cashier's Cage: M & Tu: 0800-1400 W-F: 0800-1600

Monday Monday

Lunch Chef's Choice! & Pasta Station \$7.85

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PHONE #'s

Caterer

Club Manager 228-3301, x11

228-3301, x12

228-3301, x16

Juan Conde Sherry Jones Robert Johnson

MAIN OFFICE 748-0660 or 228-3301

Tuesday Lunch **Country Buffet** \$7.85

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Tuesday

Wednesday Wednesday Lunch **BBQ** Buffet \$7.85

KOREAN FEAST BUFFET! 1730-2000 Dishes specially prepared by our own Ms. Kim! \$15.95 (mbrs receive \$2

MONGOLIAN BBQ! 1730-2000 \$13.95 (mbrs receive \$2 discount)

RETIREES 19 APPRECIATION NIGHT "Dinner under the stars!" Valet parking & musical entertainment Choice of Prime Rib. Salmon, or Chicken Primavera \$16.95 (mbrs receive \$2 discount) Reservations Highly Encouraged

> Poly Bar Officers' Lounge Open 1600-2000

Prime Rib Buffet Dinner - 1730-2000 \$14.95 (mbrs receive \$2 discount)

For current information on Services activities, check out our WEB PAGE at www.dmservicesonline.com

Thursday Lunch **Carved Buffet** & Pasta Station \$7.85

Thursday

2-4-1 Steak/Chicken Fish (or combo) \$16.95 (mbrs receive \$2 discount 1730-2000

Poly Bar Officers' Lounge Opens 1600-2000



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Mirage Buffet will

entice your every

Friday

Friday Lunch Catfish Buffet \$7.85

Social hour menu: fajitas, rice, beans, guacamole, & chips. Latin music to away! "Get away from the grind & release your mind!"

Party on the Patio! 1700-???? Bar opens 1600 "Food, fun & socializing

begins 1700!" DJ Dave will be pumping out the tunes till you drop! Enjoy horseshoes, cards, crud and more!

Poly Bar Officers' Lounge

Opens at 1600-2000

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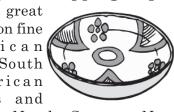
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#### **Nogales Shopping Trip**

Find great deals on fine Mexican and South American crafts and



more in Nogales Sonora on Nov. 29th! Upon arriving at the Nogales border on the US side, everyone will be allowed to walk across the border. You must have proof of US citizenship to come back across the US side, e.g., military ID, green card, or US passport. Nogales is a festive Mexican marketplace and a shopper's paradise. There are many restaurants to choose from on either side of the border. Trip

departs from Outdoor Recreation, Bldg. 4430, at 8am and returns from

Nogales at approximately 3pm. includes of\$15 transportation only. Please sign up by Nov. 27. For more information 228-3700.



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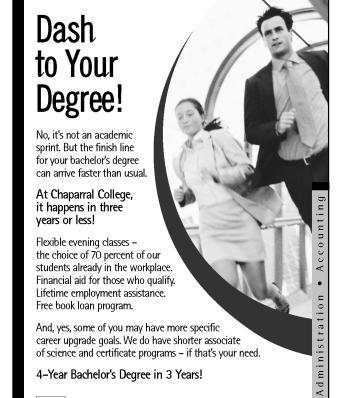
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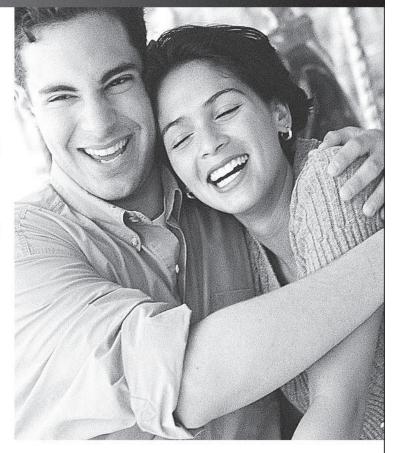
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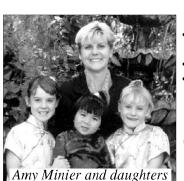
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